IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.BASANT

FRIDAY, THE 3RD AUGUST 2007 / 12TH SRAVANA 1929

Bail Appl..No. 4702 of 2007()

CMP.3261/2007 of J.M.F.C.,KOYILANDY
CRIME NO.144/07 OF ELATHUR POLICE STATION .....

PETITIONER/ACCUSED:

MUKUNDAN, S/O. RARICHAN,
NALUNNUKANDI VEEDU, S.K. BAZAR, ELATHUR AMSOM.

BY ADV. SRI.T.G.RAJENDRAN

RESPONDENTS: COMPLAINANT/STATE:

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1. THE STATION HOUSE OFFICER, ELATHUR.

2. STATE, REP. BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR,
HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM.

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.S.U.NAZER

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 03/08/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

R.BASANT, J.

B.A.No.4702 of 2007

Dated this the 3rd day of August 2007

O R D E R

Application for regular bail. The petitioner faces allegations under the Kerala Abkari Act. The petitioner was allegedly found to be in possession of 5 litres of Indian made foreign liquor on 20/7/2007. He was arrested and continues in custody from that date. The petitioner has no history of criminal antecedents, submits the learned Public Prosecutor.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner prays, the learned Public Prosecutor does not oppose the said prayer and I am satisfied that regular bail can be granted to the petitioner subject to appropriate conditions.

3. In the result, this petition is allowed. The petitioner can now be enlarged on bail on the following terms and conditions:

i) The petitioner shall execute a bond for Rs.25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only) with two solvent sureties each for the like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate.

ii) The petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation before the investigating officer as and when directed by the investigating officer in writing to do so.

(R.BASANT, JUDGE)

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CRL.M.CNo.

ORDER

21ST DAY OF MAY2007